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- 1. Transmittal Letter
- 2. Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers
- 3. Part 2 Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers
- 3. Drawing Sheet 1 of 1
- 4. Return Post Card

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Filing Date Granted, dated August 2, 2004 from the USPTO (copy of the Notice is enclosed).

The Notice requested submission of substitute drawings. In compliance with 37 CFR 1.84, enclosed is formal drawing Figure 1 which has been corrected according to the Notice. An identifying label has been placed on the back of the drawing to easily match the drawing to the proper application.

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch). See Figures(s) 1.
 - Numbers, letters, and reference characters on the drawings must measure at least 0.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. See Figure(s) 1.

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